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AROUND *the* TOWNSHIP

By Henry Alderman

Jack Williamson paid us a brief call this week. He was putting out a weekly paper at Carmel and he is full of stories about the intelligentsia, the literati, the supercilia and the beach combers who inhabit those parts.

Williamson says that there is a man there who sends out Christmas cards on the Fourth of July and a sea lion that likes to hike through the woods.

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Chick Rose asked us the other day how the baby coon he gave us for a wedding present tasted. We were able to inform him that it tasted all right—a bit like roast pork—but that it looked too much like a six weeks old human infant to be really palatable. Chick thought the critter looked more like roast dog than roast baby, "I never eat 'em myself", says he.

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Mrs. Owen Swainson has been writing some hot stuff for the women's page of the Township Register. Male readers may think this is a waste of space but no subscription money will be refunded.

Bill Pattinson, who has gone into business for himself in Centerville recently, is another example of the younger generation who refuses to feel that the WPA owes him a living. Pattinson is an expert at rebuilding autos and at painting them.

He first became interested in such things when he had to crank his dad's old model T before the old man could start to work in the mornings. "It was one of those machines with the brass radiator", Bill recalls. Bill soon got so he could do about anything with the old machine and from that point, he went to Detroit where in the next few years, he worked in practically every major motor manufacturing plant.

Bill came to California seven years ago ona call from an Oakland automobile firm which wanted an expert in his line. But Bill likes the country and he's resolved to stay in Washington township.

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Apparently there's nothing like golf.

Over at the high school the other day, A. J. Rathbone and George Smith of Decoto met in the office for a few minutes. Both were wan, scarcely out of bed from flu attacks. Both moved gingerly as though motion pained them. But the first thing they discussed was some tough golf course they could hardly wait to try.

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When cigars were passed at the junior chamber of commerce dinner the other night. Bill Helm took three. He said he had the two extra coming in view of all the cigarettes that had been bummed from him lately.

LOWMANS LEAVE CENTERVILLE

CENTERVILLE—John Lowman, for some time assistant at the Chapel of the Palms mortuary, has moved, with his family from Centerville. Mr. Lowman has obtained a position in the northern part of the state where Mrs. Lowman and their daughter June expect to join him.

HI VAUDEVILLE DRAWS BIG CROWD

CENTERVILLE — Washington township is expected to turn out en masse for the high school vaudeville tonight and tomorrow.

The vaudeville has become an annual institution here and, under the direction of Miss Botelho of the high school faculty, has reached a high degree of excellence among amateur performances.

Numbers presented and those who are taking part in them follow:

1. **Pennies** is a novelty rain number, in which Lillian Hoffman will sing and her chorus will appear with transparent cellophane umbrellas.

2. **The Waltz** is a color spectacle, and the effect will be very beautiful. Lorraine Peterson and Josephine Foehr will be seen in this number.

3. **Gay Nineties** is a chorus of old fashioned settings and singing.

4. **Stars** is a chorus of dancing and singing. Ilene Wittenmyer will be the featured soloist.

5. **Mexico** consists of an old man's dance, dance chorus of three couples, duet of Vera Duarte and Tony Lopez. Mexican chorus of dancing.

6. **The Skaters** is a novel stunt of four experienced skaters, in which Harriet De Leon, solos dressed in a costume suitable for snow country.

7. **A Trick in Hearts** is a sort of dance drama with a flirtation among the cards.

8. **The Album Stunt** is a review of styles during the early nineties.

9. **The Hot Dog Stunt** is not to be revealed, something to keep you guessing.

10. **The Black Outs** is a series of comical skits.

11. **The Chain Gang** consists of a group of football boys going through a dance and routine number.

Added features are a piano duet by Esther Jason and Mabel Lewis, Tap dance by Clarice Niemeth and Florence May, Solo toe dance by June Stannard, Violin solo by Donald Ahrens, Accordion chorus, Solo by Maryln Maciel, and the Glee Club supplies singing for the whole second act.

The entire student body is asked to participate with the teachers and students and to support the cast.

SCHOOL OPENS AFTER DEATH OF TEACHER

NEWARK—The Newark Grammar School opened up last Monday after nearly a week's recess on account of the death of Mrs. Ruth Blair Townsend, fourth and fifth grade teacher.

Many Newark people attended the funeral on Saturday.

GEORGE FISHER DIES

NILES—Friends of George C. Fisher, old-time resident here, learned this week of his recent death in Oakland. He resided in Niles about 20 years ago.

BIG S. P. ENGINE BLOWS OFF STEAM AND SMOTHERS ALVARADO FIRE

ALVARADO—Southern Pacific trainmen showed great presence of mind Monday when fire destroyed their section house and threatened other railroad property.

Cause of the blaze, which broke out in the afternoon, has not been determined; but when the train men discovered it, it was well under way. Calls put in to Newark and Centerville resulted in those fire departments helping the local blaze fighters.

The section house was obviously doomed and the flames were spreading toward the depot when a train crew ran an engine up alongside the flames and opened the "blowoff".

Steam under many hundreds of pounds of pressure rushed from the engine and literally blew the flames away from the depot so that hosemen could lay their lines.

The section house was destroyed.

SIX MEN JOIN DECOTO CHAMBER

DECOTO—The Decoto Junior Chamber of Commerce accepted six new members at their last meeting. The new members are Joe Pepitone, Joe Garcia, James Silva, Joe Alvarez, Joe Boliba and Henry Reiveira.

Final plans are being made for the dedication of the new Bell Ranch Bridge. The committee in charge of the program consists of L. W. Musick, Bert Joseph and Clarence Freitas. County Surveyor Burnett Hamilton will have an important role in the program.

OFFICER CHASES TROUBLEMAKER

NILES—Pickets were dispersed Tuesday from in front of the California Nursery by Niles' new constable Henry Vervais.

Instead of the two or three pickets usual at the entrance, a larger number of men gathered in front of the entrance and seemed bent on making a disturbance.

Vervais ordered them to break up and when one became insolent, Vervais drew his club and chased him from the premises.

Picketing was more orderly on Wednesday.

GRADE SCHOOLS NOW REOPEN

NILES—Grammar schools in Washington township were reopening this week as the winter influenza epidemic abated.

At the worst of the epidemic 14 schools in the southern end of the county, including Decoto, Alvarado, Niles, Centerville, Alviso and Newark were closed.

No fatalities among the children were reported.

IRVINGTON OFFERS FLOOD RELIEF

IRVINGTON—The pupils and teachers of the Irvington Grammar School have donated $9.81 toward the Flood Relief. The children feel quite happy that their bit may buy some starving child a bottle of milk. Mrs. L. S. Williams offers her most gracious thanks to all who have been so generous by contributing toward this worthy cause.

ATTEND THEATRE PARTY

Mrs. Mae Raymond and daughter, Agnes, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Iva Calderia of Hayward attended a theatre party in Oakland on Sunday.

FIGHT FOR ROAD AT STANDSTILL

NILES—Work on the new through highway and the underpass system at Niles is now fifty per cent complete, say staff members of Eaton and Smith, contractors. The day when the underpass which will block off the present highway is completed grows nearer and nearer.

Meanwhile, Supervisor Ralph V. Richmond is seriously ill in an Oakland hospital and cannot be reached by local committeemen who have pledged themselves to save the present road. Leon Solon, chairman of that committee, says that the program of his group can go no further until Richmond is able to confer with them and use his influence with the Board of Supervisors. Mr. Richmond's illness is preventing this.

Eaton and Smith workers say that they are ahead of schedule in the highway work, by about two weeks. The new bridge across Alameda creek is complete, except for the sidewalk. Digging on the underpasses is complete except for the one which will cut through the present highway. Owing to the rainy weather, the crew has been cut to 80 men who are busy at present in pouring concrete. Resumption of shovel work and draying will begin when the rainy season is over.

The contractors declare that the job has been more than normally free of accidents. No worker has been seriously injured.

INJURY CAUSES REMAIN MYSTERY

NILES—Dan King of Hillside avenue lies at Highland hospital suffering from several broken ribs, spinal hurts and a wound in the head.

He has no memory of the misfortune which caused his injuries.

King was found lying by the railroad tracks near the California nursery one day late last week by a train crew. They notified Constable O. W. Ebright who had him taken to Dr. E. C. Dawson's office for first aid and later to the hospital.

BURGLARY SUSPECT TO FACE JUSTICE AT HAYWARD COURT

NILES—The thief who robbed the MacMarr stores in Niles and Centerville last week, leaving bloody fingerprints behind him, is believed by police to have been caught in the person of Frank Sandoval, 31.

Sandoval will face justice in a Hayward court this week. He is alleged to have robbed 11 stores and filling stations in southern Alameda county, 11 in San Benito county and three in Santa Clara county.

Constable O. W. Ebright, who has been investigating recent township robberies, believes Sandoval is also responsible for the burglary of the John H. Ralph store at Alvarado.

Sandoval was arrested in Hayward.

Search of his home there revealed five revolvers and a quantity of jewelry, said to have been stolen from a Hollister store.

SENIOR CHAMBER WILL NOMINATE

NILES—Members of the Niles senior chamber of commerce prepared this week to vote on officers for the coming year. President E. C. Grau appointed R. A. Blacow, E. V. Jones and H. L. Scott as nominating committeemen.

BRAUN REVEALS ALL IN EXPOSE OF PRECIPITATION DATA AROUND NILES

NILES— Col. Harvey Braun, weather prophet and local rainfall expert, licked his finger and held it up to the breeze, cast a mild eye at the sky and felt of his rheumatic shoulder.

"There will", he opined, "be more rain this week".

All this prognosticating was done on Monday afternoon.

At that time, Mr. Braun said, total rainfall for the season thus far was nine inches even.

One year ago on the first of February the rainfall record pointed at 9.16 inches, he said.

In 1935, the rainfall at this same time of year was 15.003 inches.

That was the first of the three recent fairly wet years.

In 1934, rainfall on February 1 amounted to only 7.1 inches.

Col. Braun, who is reported to have a standing engagement to play bridge with Jupiter Pluvius every February 30, has been measuring rainfall at Niles for the past 16 years.

He has never attempted to commercialize his endeavor, although many a Niles debutante would be glad to buy the rain water off him after he has measured it because the brand of water Fred Glassbrook sells is too hard to make a good shampoo.

Col. Braun says the driest year he ever saw in Niles was in 1922 when a traveling circus car was parked outside the railroad station and a camel stuck its snout into his rain gauge.

Since that time he has kept the apparatus on the roof.

NORRIS TO HEAD LOCAL DRIVE FOR 1937 DONATIONS FOR BOY SCOUTS

NILES—Great plans were formulated last week by Boy Scout enthusiasts of Washington township to drive for funds to continue on the work in 1937.

This year's quota for southern Alameda county is $5500. The committee, under the leadership of Judge Allen G. Norris of Centerville, hopes to better its last year's record of 600 subscribers.

Norris has again been named district chairman in charge of the drive. Dr. George Holeman of Centerville is financial chairman. Town committeemen are Harvey Braun, Niles; Peter Decoto, Decoto; Frank Madruga, Centerville; Geo. Scammon, Irvington; Matt Whitfield, Mission San Jose and Joe Brown of Warm Springs.

Each town leader will appoint his own committee to solicit funds.

The campaign will start on February 15.

LIBRARY OPEN

NILES—The Niles public library re-opened Monday after being closed for some time owing to defective heating. Mrs. Murray, librarian, announced that it would open afternoons from now on. Evening openings will be announced at a future date.

HOT BAND WILL OFFER RHYTHM NEXT SAT. EVE.

Hot band music by one of the best-known traveling orchestras in the country will provide the rhythm for dancers at the Veterans' Memorial building on the night of February 6.

It is the evening of the Niles junior chamber of commerce prelenten frolic and the proceeds will go into the junior chamber's sign fund.

Bill Cavanaugh and Charley Champion will have charge of all details of the affair.

In giving the dance, the junior chamber men have tried to bring the best orchestra music available.

The party is to be for those who really like to dance and who are discriminating in the kind of dance music they prefer.

Cavanaugh is to preside at a preliminary meeting of dance committee men at the Township Register office tonight. There plans will be made for all details of the festivity.

TICKETS SELLING FAST FOR DANCE

CENTERVILLE— Tickets are going fast, supper reservations are pouring in, and all indications point to a capacity attendance at the Mardi Gras Ball to be given by The Country Club of Washington Township in the Washington Union High School gymnasium on Saturday, February 6.

Dancing will begin at 9 p. m. with Larry's Washingtonians furnishing the music. Events of the evening will follow in the order below:

9 p. m. Dancing
9:15 Entrance of the King and Queen—Coronation
9:30 Grand March during which best costumes will be chosen.
10:00 Lancers, called by W. W. Walton.
10:30 Balloon Dance.
11:00 Confetti Dance.
Awarding of Costume Prizes.
Unmasking.
Dancing and floor numbers will complete the evening.

Judge Allen G. Norris will act as Master of Ceremonies and the Grand March will be led by Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry.

FLOOD RELIEF FUNDS SWELLING

NILES—Nearly $400 has already been raised in Washington township by Mrs. C. N. Myrick and her assistants of the local Red Cross group.

Mrs. Myrick has been loud in her praise of township residents for the support given the movement.

Additional sums are in prospect as a result of the coming legion dance and a co-operative entertainment by township organizations.

Move to contact all such groups was under way Wednesday under the direction of Bill Cavanaugh and Dick Attinger of Niles. Following are the names of organizations to be contacted:

Country Club of Washington Township; Irvington, Newark, Alvarado, Niles and Decoto commercial groups; township parent-teacher associations; Lions club, sportsmen's associations; Native Sons and Daughters; I. O. O. F. Masons, Knights of Pythias, Foresters, Druids, Knights of Columbus, S. E. S., I. D. E. S.; S. P. R. S. I. Echoes of Portugal; all fire departments; church groups and Veterans of Foreign Wars.

SENIORS PLAN AFFAIR ON 9th

CENTERVILLE—High school seniors will hold another "senior night" on Feb. 9. The affair is to have a valentine motif.

NEWARK SCHOOL TO STAGE SHOW OF AMATEURS

NEWARK—The Newark Grammar School is arranging for an "amateur hour" program to celebrate the birthdays of Lincoln and Washington. The program will be held on the afternoon of Friday, February 19, and the students will volunteer all features therefore.

TWINS PLACED IN INCUBATOR

NILES—According to Mrs. Frances Silva, nurse, of the Silva Maternity Home here, the twin sons born to Mrs. Alfred Peixotto of Irvington, are thriving on their eye-dropper diet. The babies, Washington Township's smallest, weighed 3 pounds each at birth and have been placed in an incubator at the Home here. They have been given the names of Delbert Edward and Merle Wenton.

Babies and mother are said to be progressing splendidly.

W P A TO PRESENT MARIONETTES

The W. P. A. Recreation Dept. of Alameda County will present a Marionette production of Rip Van Winkle. So states Charles G. Bertoli supervisor. The show will be given at the Niles school on Monday February 8, 2 p. m. Warm Springs school, Tuesday February 9, 2 p. m., Washington Union High school Wednesday February 10 at 2 p. m. The script was arranged and the production staged and directed by Otis Cobb in co-operation with Supervisors June C. Yates and William W. Morrison.

DUSTERBERRY HOST TO 20 PERSONS

Frank T. Dusterberry, grand vice-chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, was host to 20 guests at dinner at the Hotel Alameda last Friday night honoring Fred H. Jones of Los Angeles, supreme chancellor. A meeting of Alameda lodge followed the dinner. On Saturday night, Dusterberry accompanied Jones on an official visit to Santa Rosa and the Pythian Home.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE WORKS ON PLANS TO BETTER SERVICE IN WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP

HAYWARD—Changes were due this week by the Alameda county sheriff's office to make more effective coverage for Washington township by law enforcement officers.

Plans were under way for the transfer of Constable O. W. Ebright whose headquarters have been in Hayward, to the criminal investigation department of the sheriff's office.

Plans also called for the transfer of Henry Vervaiis, son of the Pleasanton constable, from his position at the county jail in Oakland to Niles, where he would act as full time peace officer.

Additional stenographic help is also planned for the Hayward office, as well as the addition of another full time officer at Hayward.

MARSTON DASSELL WINS POST AS NEW DEPUTY ASSESSOR FOR TOWNSHIP DISTRICT

NILES—Marston Dassell, well known Niles resident, has been appointed deputy county assessor for the Washington township district by the Alameda county board of supervisors.

Dassell succeeds Emmanuel George of Centerville, who is retiring from active service. George is 71 years old.

Dassell is 42 years old, is a graduate of local schools and the University of California. He has lived most of his life in Washington township. He is an active member of American Legion post 195 and was ensign in the navy during the war. Prior to assuming his new position, Dassell was timekeeper at the nternational Wood Products Co. plant and before that was an employe of the American Railway Express. His work as assessor started on Monday.

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Niles Personals

Supervisor Ralph V. Richmond has returned to an Oakland hospital after spending a few days at home in Niles. Friends say he has been resting easily but must remain quiet.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Freitas of Hollister visited on Sunday with her mother, Mrs. M. Borges.

According to Mr. E. D. Bristow, principal of the Niles Grammar School the attendance on Monday was much better than that at the time the school was forced to close due to influenza among students and teachers. He states that the school will remain open.

Harold Gray, Chief Engineer of the Alameda County Mosquito District returned last Monday from the East and middlewest where he spent three weeks in conferences pertaining to his special line of work and which were held in the different cities throughout the eastern and middlewestern states.

Mrs. Dick Attinger spent last week-end visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Tabor of San Bruno. This week, Mr. Attinger's father, R. E. Attinger of San Francisco, is spending several days with the Attingers.

George Manor of the Kraftile company has returned to Niles after three weeks in the hospital.

Mrs. E. Carthy of San Francisco is ill with influenza at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harvey Braun.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bradford had as dinner guests on Sunday last, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sheffield of Pleasanton, and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Parker of Martinez.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Alves and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Dias attended the Firemen's entertainment given at the Fairmont Hospital last Monday night, at which a large crowd attended in spite of the downpour of rain. The four-some report a very pleasant evening and fine entertainment in spite of the bad weather.

Mrs. Edgar C. Dawson is at home here, having returned from the Alameda Sanitarium in Alameda where she was confined for five days with the influenza. Dr. Dawson reports that Mrs. Dawson is home and well.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duarte and their little seven-year-old daughter Mary have been ill with the "flu" and have been confined for several days at home. Mr. Duarte, who was the first member of the family to get over his siege declares that it will probably be just a matter of a day or two before the others are able to be up and around.

Mrs. Richard Day is suffering from a sprained ankle resulting from a fall at the Congregational church.

Rev. Day attended an interdenominational conference for ministers at Berkeley last week. He heard a series of lectures.

Mrs. E. C. Grau is confined to her bed this week by a severe cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Bertellozzi of San Francisco were guests at the Leon Solon home Sunday. Following luncheon, the Solon's returned with them to the city where they had dinner.

NILES COUPLE FETED BY KIN

NILES—Mr. and Mrs. Antone Garcia, who have been residents of Niles for the past thirty years, were the guests of honor at a dinner given by their daughter, Mrs. M. Iacopi, at her home in San Francisco on January 17. The occasion was the 33rd wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Garcia.

The couple were married thirty-three years ago in the old Centerville Catholic church, and after living in San Francisco for the first three years of their married life, they came back to Niles and have been here ever since.

Mr. and Mrs. Garcia were taken to San Francisco by Frank Davilla, a friend, and incidentally this was the driver's first trip over the new bridge.

The Register takes this opportunity to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Garcia and wish them many more years of wedded bliss.

Jack Stubinger, Newark diemaker for the Graham plant, is back to work again after being sick with the "flu".

VALENTINE DANCE SPONSORED BY NEWARK LADIES

NEWARK—The Valentine Dance to be given by the Ladies Auxiliary of the Newark Fire department on February 6, is now all set to go. The dance will be held at Swiss Park and there will be two door prizes.

Chairman Mrs. L. Costa and her committee, Mrs. A. C. Silva and Mrs. J. E. Pashote have been working very hard in order to make this dance a big success. Everyone is asked to come to the dance and to bring their friends.

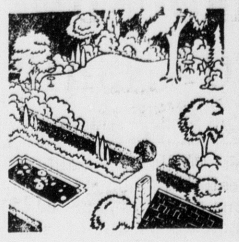
PLANS SPEED ON FLOOD RELIEF

NILES—Township legionnaires expect a heavy turnout for their flood relief dance at the Veterans Memorial building on February 9. Every effort has been made to cut dance expense to the minimum, says E. D. Bristow, in order that as much as possible of the proceeds can go to the flood relief victims.

Twelve hundred tickets have been printed and the advance sale has already been started.

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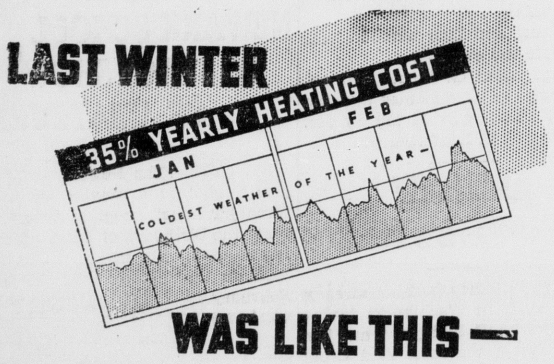
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Irvington Personals

RAYMONDS HAVE VISITORS

Miss Leona Freitas and Rudy Frates of Oakland visited here Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Mae Raymond.

A large crowd of Irvington people attended the Irvington Junior Chamber of Commerce dance at the Swiss Park in Newark last Saturday evening.

PIEXOTTOS HAVE TWINS

It was rumored that most all of the business men were showered with cigars last Friday by Al Piexotto. The reason—his wife presented him with twin boys.

William Hirsch Jr. is the proud owner of a new coupe.

S. P. R. S. I. DISCUSSES WHIST

A meeting of the S. P. R. S. I. members was held Monday at the home of Mrs. Florence Mederios. The meeting was held for the purpose of discussing their whist party which is to be held this Friday at the I. O. O. F. hall.

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GRAPEFRUIT Florida—broken segments 5 No. 2 cans 49c
SPINACH Del Monte—good and tender 4 No. 2½ cans 49c
HOMINY Van Camp's 6 No. 2½ cans 49c
TUNA Chicken Salad—light, tender meat 4 No. ½ cans 49c
SOUP Campbell's —except tomato and chicken 6 cans 49c
JUICE Grapefruit Florida Gold sweetened or unsweetened 6 No. 2 cans 49c
WALNUTS Emerald, Budded Mediums 3 Pounds 49c
BEEF Libby's Corned fine grained meat 3 cans 49c

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SPAGHETTI with meat a delicious dish 6 large cans 49c
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SOAP NAPTHA P. & G. brand 13 bars 49c
RAVIOLIS or Chili Con Carne Deal Brand 6 No. 1 cans 49c
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Washington Township Women's Activities

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MRS. PETSCHE PREFERS STEAK FOR WINTER

With the cold weather we have been having, Mrs. A. J. Petsche suggests the following dish a good one for such days when we need a great deal more nourishment and a good steak is always a great temptation to most people.

SPANISH FLANK STEAK

Chop two medium onions very fine and brown lightly in bacon drippings. Then sear flank steak on both sides in drippings.

Remove steak, place it in a greased casserole, sprinkle with salt and pepper, allowing three-quarter teaspoon of salt and 1 teaspoon of pepper to each pound of meat. Sprinkle onion over the meat and cover with tomato sauce. Add one green pepper chopped.

Cover tightly and cook slowly for one hour in a 300 degree oven.

CAKE BAKING

To always be sure of getting the best possible results when baking a cake use good materials and good recipes.

While the cake is in the oven, open and close the oven door carefully.

Divide the cake baking time into quarters.

First quarter—The cake should begin to rise.

Second quarter—It should continue to rise and begin to brown.

Third quarter—It should continue to brown.

Fourth quarter — The cake should finish baking and shrink from the sides of the pan.

Insert a wire tester into the cake, and if it comes out clean the cake is done.

Never ice a cake until it is cold.

RECIPES

Liver Spetzels

1 pound of chopped liver
2 eggs
½ teaspoon summer savory
1 onion, cut fine
¾ cup bread crumbs
Pinch of salt

Fry the onions in butter until brown. Mix the above ingredients thoroughly together.

Make a rich soup using your favorite recipe. Strain, and drop in small portions of the liver mixture from the end of the spoon.

Boil for twenty minutes.

CRUMPETS

1 scant pint of top milk
1 egg
1 teaspoon sugar
½ teaspoon salt
3 cups flour
2 teaspoons baking powder
Cinnamon to flavor

Sift the flour, salt, sugar, baking powder and cinnamon together. Add the beaten egg, and the milk. Mix into a rather firm batter, and half fill the large greased muffin rings. Place on a hot, well buttered griddle.

Bake one side only.

Serve hot with cottage cheese.

Pumpkin Pie

1 full cup pumpkin
1 cup brown sugar
1 scant teaspoon ginger
½ teaspoon cinnamon
½ teaspoon salt
1 cup top milk
2 eggs

Add a piece of butter to the pumpkin and cook it down a little. Add the brown sugar, ginger, cinnamon and salt. Scald the milk and add to the eggs which have been beaten well, and then mix with the pumpkin.

Add two and one-half tablespoons of orange juice. Pour into rich crust which has been slightly baked first.

Bake in a 245 degree oven for fifteen minutes and finish in 300 degrees.

Serve with whipped cream and ginger.

FLAVORED SUGAR FOR AFTERNOON TEA

Loaf sugar can be flavored with either lemon or orange and then be kept in a jar which is covered tightly.

Wash the rind of the orange or 1 lemon and wipe it dry, and then rub them over the entire surface of the lump sugar.

This will sweeten as well as flavor the tea.

Estelle's Cake

2 eggs
1 cup sugar
½ cup milk
1 tablespoon of butter
1 cup of flour
1 teaspoon baking powder
1 teaspoon vanilla

Mix the egg and supar. Heat the milk and butter together until lukewarm, and then add to the egg and sugar. Add the flour, baking powder and vanilla.

As soon as the cake is removed from the oven spread the following mixture over the cake and place it under the broiler until it is melted and lightly browned.

Icing

3 tablespoons butter
5 tablespoons brown sugar
3 tablespoons cream
½ cup nuts
½ cup shredded cocoanut

Liver Patties

1 pound liver
1½ cups of cracker crumbs
1 small onion
¼ teaspoon pepper
½ teaspoon salt

Parboil the liver and put it through the meat grinder. Mix in the other ingredients, chop the onion fine. Shape into patties and fry in butter or bacon drippings.

Norwegian Waffles

2 cups of 20% cream
1 cup whipping cream
4 teaspoons sugar
4 eggs
4 cups of flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
4 tablespoons melted butter

Whip the whipping cream and the 20 per cent cream together, lightly. Add the sugar and the four beaten eggs. Sift the flour and baking powder together and then fold it into the above. Next add the melted butter.

Cook on a well greased hot waffle iron.

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LADIES ATTEND JOINT MEETING OF FEDERATION

NILES—The District meeting of the Federation of Women's Clubs, embracing the Alameda Distrirt and San Francisco District, held at the Claremont Hotel on Thursday last, was attended by a good number of members from Niles.

Among the ladies who went to Oakland for this important gathering were Mesdames F. T. Dusterberry, of Centerville; C. E. Martenstein of Niles; Howard Chapbourne of Centerville; R. L. Pond of Irvington, E. J. Petsche of Niles, Geo. Bonde and Roland Bendel of Niles.

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NILES UNIT OF P T A OBSERVES FOUNDERS DAY

NILES—Founders Day will be observed next Tuesday, February 9, by the Niles P.- T. A. with a special night meeting to which everyone interested in this work is invited, according to Mrs. Roland Bendel, Founders Day Chairman. Honored guests will be the Dads and a special program to commemorate this occasion is being planned by Mrs. Bendel and her committee.

A highlight of the program will be the candlelighting ceremony, and refreshments will be served by the chairman and her aides. The meeting which is to be held at the Niles Grammar School will begin at 8:00 o'clock.

A good deal of interest has been caused among the members as to who is receiving the life membership which will be announced on that evening. This is the first time that the Niles unit of the Association has made this award and all are curious to see who is the fortunate lady.

The nominating committee of the P.- T. A. will aiso make its report at this anniversary meeting on Tuesday.

FAVORS SPECIAL JUVENILE JUDGE

The Sixteenth District, California Congress of Parents and Teachers has gone on record as favoring a Juvenile Court Judge (specially selected to handle only juvenile cases) in Alameda county and all other counties where feasible throughout the state of California. The California Congress of Parents and Teachers will be asked to endorse the resolution to this effect which was passed at the recent Sixteenth District meeting.

Mrs. E. H. Doyle, juvenile protection chairman for the District, has been named by president Mrs. L. K. Beever to head a committee of five to thoroughly investigate the juvenile court conditions here and to report their findings to the State Board along with copy of above resolution. Appointed to serve with Mrs. Doyle are Mrs. H. Ward Campbell, Mrs. F. L. Burkhalter, Mrs. H. W. Spencer and Mrs. Al L. Schacelford.

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GROUP STRIKES AT BANK NIGHT

The bill now before the State Senate making bank nights and the use of gambling devices in motion picture theatres illegal, has been endorsed by the Sixteenth District, California Congress of Parents and Teachers. A communication will be sent to the California Congress of Parents and Teachers asking that they take definite action approving this proposed legislation, as a step toward insuring better films for all the children attending motion picture theatres in California.

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DISTRICT MEET TO BE MARCH 1

The February meeting of the Sixteenth District, California Congress of Parents and Teachers, will include a special program in commemoration of the fortieth anniversary of the founding of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers, and the annual District reciprocity luncheon. March 1 will be the date of this meeting, to convene at 10 a. m. in the Oakland Womens' City Club.

District president Mrs. L. K. Beever has accepted the invitation of Richmond Council to hold the District convention in Richmond this year. The two-day convention will take place March 29 and 30 in the Richmond Junior High School. Mrs. Floyd Parker, chairman of program service, and her committee are already planning for the occasion and promise a varied, unusual program.

CLUB HEARS TALK ON PEACE

CENTERVILLE—With Mrs. Nat Kessler, prominent Oakland Club woman and worker in the emergency peace campaign, as speaker, the program which followed the business meeting ofthe Country Club of Washington Township on Tuesday rotated around the subject, "Peace". Mrs. Kessler pointed out that schools and churches, two great media for propagation of peace programs, together with the work of womens' organizations have set people thinking about war in terms of peace. Mrs. Kessler was introduced by Mrs. E. D. Bristow, chairman of the February program committee.

A reading, "The Meaning of the Flag"- Henry Ward Beecher, by Mrs. E. B. Hodges was in keeping with the spirit of the program.

A musical program arranged by Mrs. L. W. Musick was presented by Mrs. Margaret Gibson, vocalist with the San Francisco Civic Opera company, who sang selections from La Tosca and Madame Butterfly, and "On the Wings of Morning" by Mendelsohn, and by an instrumental trio consisting of violin, Mrs. Martha Long; cello, Miss Alice Mercer and piano, Miss Ruth Upp. "Andante" Reissinger, and "America, the Beautiful" were played by the trio.

During the business meeting, over which Mrs. C. E. Martenstein presided, a motion was made by Mrs. Roland Bendel and passed by the Club asking for legislative measures in the preservation of the sugar pines of our state. Mrs. J. E. Thane outlined the program arranged by The Garden Club for the dedication of a tree in the Township garden plot near Niles to George Roeding Sr. and asked for the club's support. Mrs. J. R. Whipple was appointed to represent the club in the carrying out of the program.

Mrs. R. H. Love of Berkeley county program chairman, was a guest at the afternoon meeting.

Mrs. J. V. Goold was appointed treasurer of the club to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mrs. John H. Lowman.

YOUNG PEOPLE ACTIVE AT NILES CHURCH

NILES—The program for next Sunday, February 7, at the Niles Congregational Church, will be as follows:

Morning services and sermon.
10:45 Junior Congregation, 11:00 Mornings services and sermon.

Evening, 7:30 Young Peoples Fellowship services.

About twenty-five young people from the Eden Congregational Church at Hayward were guests of the young people's group of Niles Congregational Church last Sunday evening. A recreational program conducted by Bill Lindsay was followed by a dinner under the direction of Marjorie Pimentel, Margaret Williamson and Genevieve Andrade. Betty Denton conducted the program after dinner. About fifteen young people from the local group attended the affair.

Rev. Richard C. Day, pastor will begin a series of Lenten services on Ash Wednesday. The services will be held in the pastorage every Wednesday evening during lent.

On next Sunday, the local young people's group will go to Hayward to hear William C. Bell of Lobito, who will speak on race problems.

GO TO PARTY

Misses Irma Dutra and Elna Vargas and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sousa attended a party last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Santos of San Jose.

Guest Editorial

By Mrs. Owen Swainson
(as told to our reporter)

This week I want to talk to you about the nine steps in make-up. But before we take the first step let me mention the influence the new colored pictures are having on make-up generally.

I said last week that beauty styles are changing. Nowhere so much as in Hollywood. Just when the experts had mastered the art of make-up, the vogue for color came and a new technique had to be devised. In working it out, it was discovered that the best method was the most natural.

Before color came, the make-up was very greasy. The skin was given a bronze coloring and no cheek rouge was used at all. But for the colored pictures the make-up is greaseless and as life-like as possible. In fact, it is the same as that worn on the street, except intensified.

This, I think, is one reason why the vogue in make-up is more and more toward the natural. It is no longer the fashion to look artificial.

And now to get on with our make-up. Or rather, to our make-up on.

The nine steps are as follows:

1. **Cleansing**-Use a good cleansing cream, rubbing it well over the face and neck. Remove with soft tissues.

2. **Astringent**-Its use accomplishes three things: takes away any residue that follows the removal of the cream; firms and tones the skin; prepares it for the make-up.

3. **Eyebrow Pencil**-It is used to accent the line and length of the eyebrows and to help control the contour of the face. Follow the natural line, not above or below, accentuate whenever necessary, making the eyebrow either longer or shorter.

4. **Eye Shadow.**-Be careful here. Don't use too much. Have just a soft shadow background to add expression and personality to the eyes. This gives them a sparkle, deepens their color and makes them look larger.

5. **Mascara**-Again a caution. Not too heavy. If just enough is used on the lashes, it adds beauty and expression to the eyes and makes a better frame to bring out their real coloring.

6. **Lip rouge.**-Apply first to the upper lip then to the lower, following the natural outline and filling in the complete surface of the lips. Whether using lip rouge or lip stick, remember to blend the coloring smoothly with the finger, because if not blended smoothly, it not only looks artificial but refuses to stay on.

7. **Cheek rouge.**-Always apply on the central part of the cheek bone, on every face, no matter what shape, because this is the natural controlling factor of the contour of the face. Blend right around the cheek bone, fading out gradually and leaving no lines.

8. **Face Powder.** Apply a light covering of powder over the entire face, with puff or cotton. Do not rub. Use just enough to add a delicate, soft finish to the face.

9. **Powder Brush.**-This last step is to distribute the powder evenly and to remove the surplus.

What shades of make-up for all this? That depends entirely upon your coloring. For instance, if you are a blonde, with light hair, use a natural powder, brown pencil for eyebrows, gray eye shadow on the upper lids, brown mascara on the lashes, a light shade of lip rouge and orange cheek rouge.

But whatever our coloring, let us try to remember that perfect beauty is a natural beauty and that a blatantly artificial make-up defeats its own end. Study your face. Learn to accentuate your good points and to make the bad ones as inconspicuous as possible.

And so, for beauty in 1937—may you be yourself! But your best self.

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CLEAN STREETS

Monday night the Niles Junior Chamber of Commerce voted to discontinue paying for the weekly cleaning of Main street by S. Tocchini.

For the last four months, the street has been kept in apple pie order by Tocchini who has been getting out every Saturday morning with his truck and doing a thorough job.

The Niles junior group has been paying for this service out of its general fund.

Now, the members believe, the time has come to economize. Every effort is to be made to save money for the neon highway signs which will be necessary when the new highway is completed.

The junior chamber cannot be censured for this action. It can raise only a certain amount of money each year, and its members must judge for themselves how this money can be spent to the best adantage. They believe that the hundred-odd dollars spent each year on street cleaning can best be saved for the sign, which will cost at least $500.

That leaves the problem of clean streets up to the individual merchants.

Young Arnold Bellini has suggested that the individual merchants be contacted for a weekly subscription which will continue to employ Tocchini. The total cost, including compensation and liability insurance, should be in the neighborhood of $5 weekly. Divided among the merchants, this would be about 50 cents per month.

How about it?

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Post 195 of the American Legion is to be commended on its prompt action in planning a dance for the flood relief victims in the east.

There are 1200 dance tickets for sale. Whether or not you dance, you should buy one of these tickets. They cost only two-bits.

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Dr. E. C. Grau suggests that now is the time for township civic organizations to send off letters to big factories in the flooded area inviting them to move their plants to the Pacific coast. He declares that the proper sort of approach would be to point out that Washington township has no floods.

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J. V. Goold of the high school faculty pointed out to students recently that the union high is the most nearly scientifically heated building in the township. "An endeavor is made to maintain a temperature ranging from 65 to 68 degrees fahrenheit in all of the classrooms, this being the temperature prescribed by physicians as the most healthful in which to work and study", he says.

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GOLD DIGGERS COMES TO NILES

NILES—"The Gold Diggers of 1937", the newest of the every-other-year series of musical comedies put out by Warner Bros. and featuring the newlyweds Dick Powell and Joan Blondell, comes to the Niles Theatre on Friday and Saturday, February 5 and 6. Other stars appearing in the picturei nclude Glenda Farrell and Victor Moore, the New York stage comedian. More than 200 beautiful dancing girls trained in the art of Busby Berkeley appear in the film.

The newest commedienne of modern pictures comes to the local screen on Sunday and Monday, in the person of Irene Dunne, in the new Frank Capra production, "Theodora Goes Wild". This is a proud descendant of "Mr. Deeds" and "It Happened One Night". It proves that Miss Dunne is as great in comedy as she is in drama. In this story, she depicts a small-town girl who becomes sophisticated and goes after her big city man in a city fashion. Opposite her is Melvyn Douglas. "Ghost Town Gold" is the second feature.

Next Tuesday and Wednesday, February 10 and 11, mother-love is again proven with Kay Francis playing the mother role in "Give Me Your Heart". Other famous names appearing on this bill are George Brent and Patricia Knowles. The companion picture is "King of the Royal Mounted".

"Rose Bowl" and "It's Love Again" appears for the last time tonight.

FINAL RITES HELD FOR MRS. VARGAS

WARM SPRINGS—Mrs. Mary G. Vargas, a resident of Warm Springs for the past 25 years, died at her home here last Friday of a heart attack. Funeral services were held on Monday from the Chapel of the Palms to the St. Joseph's Church in Mission San Jose, where a requiem mass was said, and interment was at St. Joseph's Cemetery.

Mrs. Vargas, who was 63 years of age, leaves surviving her, her husband, Frank, and two sons, Manuel and Frank Jr.

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It is with pleasure and a degree of pride that the Township Register today presents a new type in our news columns, known in the vernacular of the trade as a new "dress".

There have been a lot of talk and a lot of arguments in print in recent years about legibility and readibility of printing types. Many publishers have spent thousands of dollars on new body type and new headletters in order to improve their medium of expression. Time was when we thought the average reader cared little about typographical refinements—the whys and wherefores of one letter "reading better" than another. When reading became irksome, or next to impossible for some, the blame fell on the eyes or the glasses used—or the lack of them. Print was taken as a matter of course, and nothing was ever done about it.

Now it is different. Experts in design of letters got busy and told us what was the matter with our old type, and showed us how improved design would work out to our advantage and that of our readers. Associations of optometrists throughout the country have been among the agitators for improved design.

Several attempts have been made in the line of improved letter design lately, until today we have Linotype Excelsion, considered by many to be the most legible and easiest read of all newspaper type. We thought so—and hence, our new "dress".

Linotype Excelsior is the result of years of experience in designing exceptionally readable plain types. It has deep, generously proportioned counters (white space between lines of the letters) and no extreme variation in thick and thin strokes. Each word is instantly grasped by the reader, because Excelsior letters "flow" into one another—the characters are well fitted, and the distribution of white space is so uniform within and around each character that the letters readily group into words and provide maximum reading ease.

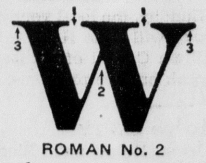
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EXCELSIOR

The decided variation between thick and thin strokes in the conventional roman, below, have a tendency to cause eye fatigue. That is why Excelsior letters have no hair lines. Notice how the serifs (3) have been made sturdier without loss of grace. To prevent "fill up", the distance has been made greater at (1) in Excelsior. The crotch (2) has been widened for the same reason.



ROMAN No. 2

Two danger points for ink accumulation are at 1 and 2. Compare the fragile serifs (3) with the improvement in Excelsior design, above.

PLANS MADE FOR NEWARK TRAFFIC UNIT

NEWARK—The Newark Junior Chamber of Commerce met last Tuesday and there is a definite plan now to let out bids for the Junior Traffic Patrol work. A report was given by Machado on the Junior Traffic Patrol.

City Life

In the months we have lived in California, we have become acquainted with a gent who teaches economics at Mills college. His name is Glen Hoover and he looks the way a rural New Englander ought to look. These chilly California mornings he wears a stocking cap and smokes a corncob pipe, which, we suspect, is to discourage the too near approach of any of his students.

He apparently believes in a patriarchal society, in which every man raises a large family of children which he can gaze down at from the head of the family table when he is full of years. Hoover himself is single, however.

He lives alone in an old house with little or no heat in it on top of a hill near the Mills campus. He has been busy during the rainy season in the digging of a fish pond which is to be in the shape of a moat some six feet wide, four feet deep and 60 feet long, running around the edge of his property.

Some years ago he was a member of the Oakland city council and immediately put in a private telephone number so that cranks could not bother him.

Later he ran for congress but was defeated—a blow for which he has always been secretely grateful.

He's an ardent single taxer, even though he is a property owner. And he takes the curse off teaching adolescents by also filling the post of head of the state setup for adult education.

As for us, we would rather teach a bunch of pretty girls about Adam Smith and Malthus than try to pound anything into the heads of underprivileged adults.

We don't know whether this item should be in this column or among the farm news. Anyhow, San Jose, first city to the south of us, is the home of a new publication called the "Santa Clara County Rancher".

Its cover and size are similar to that of the new "Life" magazine published by Time, Inc. Like "Life" it is profusely illustrated. It is published by a man named William A. Radford who is assisted by two or three other Radfords.

In the center pages there is a double spread of pictures of Santa Clara county ranches, the large picture in the center being of the Radford ranch. Probably many people around here, who have lived here longer than we have, know something about Radford.

The magazine's masthead says it goes to every Santa Clara county rancher, by which we take it to mean that it is delivered free. The issue we saw carries several interesting articles on farming and the place that poultry has in both the specialist's and diversifier's scheme of things.

VIEUX GETS PART OF BIG SHIPMENT

NILES—Jack Vieux is now displaying some of the new 1937 General Electric refrigerators, part of the huge shipment of a solid trainload shipped from New York State factories to Northern California dealers to open the electric refrigerator season earlier than ever before.

This big trainload, fifty-three full cars, is the largest shipment ever made by General Electric on one order and it is believed to be the largest refrigerator shipment ever to come into this state.

"The new 1937 models are known as the Triple Thrift Refrigerators according to Vieux because they really save in three ways for the purchaser. They are priced lower, use less current and cost less to maintain during a longer life".

ROOSEVELT BID TO BAY FAIR

SAN FRANCISCO — President Roosevelt will be invited to come to San Francisco to open the great Golden Gate bridge in person on Friday, May 21.

This was announced today by Supervisor Arthur M. Brown, Jr., general chairman of the Golden Gate Bridge Fiesta, which is to be held in San Francisco from May 20 to 23 to celebrate the opening of the world's longest single suspension span across the famous entrance to San Francisco harbor.

ELLSWORTHS BACK FROM MEXICO

NILES—After spending three weeks on their trip to the Southern part of California and their tour through Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Ellsworth returned to their home here on Friday night. Mrs. Ellsworth declares that, although the trip was enjoyable and they had pleasant weather throughout, encountering no storms on the way, she was glad to get home again.

The thing that impressed Mrs. Ellsworth most on her trip was the poverty of the Mexicans. Most of them, outside of the cities, live in mudhuts and floorless cabin arrangements. They merely exist, she says. They live off of what little land they have, farming it for their own home consumption. Sugar cane is raised in some districts.

Another thing which impresses an American, says Mrs. Ellsworth, is the little interest shown in education. The Mexican people would always show you their churches until one was tired, and would never mention their school system nor show the tourists a school house. The only school she noticed was an English and French speaking school, presumably conducted by Americans. However, the Mexican cathedrals are beautiful.

Mexico has much of its wealth in its cathedrals. The Mexicans point with pride to the beautiful pure gold leaf work in their houses of worship. They are beautiful works of art and awe inspiring.

Although they spent nine days in and about Mexico City, they did not see the University of Mexico.

The tour, which was made by a party of 47, was sponsored by the Orange county chambers of commerce and is an annual affair. The group went down the coast route to Guadalajara and then over to Mexico City. From there they took trips to outlying districts and towns thus visiting villages and hamlets 100 and 125 miles distant from the city. On their return trip their itinerary included El Paso, through the interior.

Mexico is yet primitive in its farming methods, declares Mrs. Ellsworth. "We saw the poor country people farming with the crudest of implements and in only one place did we see a horse team pulling a ploy. In El Paso, we had the pleasure of seeing one tractor, which was no doubt owned by an American who had taken it down there. At Juarez, the methods were again the same". She further states that the present government confiscates whatever the poor farmer makes, over and above his own personal needs, and that probably accounts for the undeveloped countryside of Mexico. The churches are owned by the government, under the present regime, and all revenue is assumed by the governing power.

PATRONS OKEH CHANGE AT SHOW

NILES—William Helm, manager of the Niles theatre, is receiving many favorable reports from patrons regarding the new sound equipment he has installed.

"Born to Dance" the recent Eleanor Powell feature with many trickey sound effects was one of the first to be presented at the theatre since the installation. Results were exceptionally fine.

FRIENDS MOURN LOCAL TEACHER

Funeral services were held last week for Mrs. Ruth Blair Townsend, well known township teacher. Mrs. Townsend died at an Oakland hospital of peritonitis caused by intestional obstruction with excessive adhesions and kinking of the intestines.

She had complained of illness for the past three months and became suddenly and violently ill several days before her death.

Advanced peritonitis and gangrene had already set in when medical aid was summoned.

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Centerville Personals

Mrs. George Mathiesen is ill with influenza.

John Fair is recovering satisfactorily after his recent serious illness.

Mrs. Morgan Davies is having San Francisco friends as dinner guests Saturday evening before the Mardi Gras ball.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mette are entertaining friends from San Jose on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Norris are to entertain the evening card club on Saturday, February 13.

Mrs. George Lowry will entertain the Birthday club in honor of Mrs. George Emerson next week.

Mrs. F. T. Dusterberry entertained Tuesday for Mrs. Nat Kessler and Mrs. R. H. Love at the Dusterberry home. Other guests were Mrs. C. E. Martenstein, Mrs. E. D. Bristow and Mrs. George Coit.

Mr. Paul Aust, father of Miss Florence Aust, secretary at the high school, is seriously ill at an Oakland hospital. Tuesday, attendants reported him to be showing an improvement.

Miss E. Marie Sandholt of the high school faculty has returned from a conference on child welfare given by the state department of education at San Francisco.

Andrew Logan, member of the high school trustee board has been ill since Sunday. He is in an Oakland hospital.

Decoto Personals

Bert Joseph of the J. L. Olson grocery store is confined to his home with influenza. Charles Nunes is filling his position at the store.

An electric drill and a bunch of keys were stolen from A. A. Amaral's blacksmith shop.

At a recent Boy Scout dinner in Oakland, Roland Bendel, Peter Decoto and William Hurst were presented with awards for the completion of ten years of service with the scouts.

Miss Dorothy Bettencourt is confined to her bed with the flu.

Miss Mary Janeiro attended the Presidents Birthday ball held at the Hotel Oakland last Saturday night. She enjoyed the singing Bobby Breen, the little radio and screen star.

Nadine King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis King, is up and around after being confined to her bed for several weeks with influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Galarsa entertained friends and relatives from San Francisco at their home here over the week-end.

Mrs. Marian Long, Miss Alice Mercer and Miss Ruth Upp, teachers at the Decoto Grammar School presented a number of instrumental selections at the Country Club meeting on Tuesday. Mrs. L. W. Musick was in charge of the musical program.

Mrs. Manuel Brown is confined to her bed with a touch of pneumonia and asthma.

Mr. Henri E. Salz has been absent from the office due to influenza.

Mrs. M. D. Silva, near the Bell Ranch Bridge, has been confined to her home for the past three weeks with influenza.

The children of the Decoto Grammar School returned to their class rooms Monday after an absence of one week due to a large number of sick cases.

Newark Personals

Mrs. J. Carlson, who has been living in the upstairs apartment of Mrs. White, has shipped her furniture to Porterville. She is moving to San Diego, where she will live with her son and family.

Mrs. M. Buchanan returned to her duties as bookkeeper at the Arden Salt plant last Wednesday, after having been confined at her home for a week with the "flu".

Jack Satler of Los Angeles was in Newark Sunday and called on Mrs. M. E. Bole.

A large crowd attended the reception given Serafine Fernandez last Saturday at the Silva's Hall in Newark, upon his return from his honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Lovejoy of San Francisco visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ed White on Thursday and were their dinner guests at Butler's. Mr. Lovejoy is Mrs. White's brother. The Newark visitors also called on Mrs. M. E. Bole.

Rev. Fiske took charge of the morning and evening services at the Newark Presbyterian Church on last Sunday. He gave a talk to the Sunday school children to which they listened very attentively.

Mrs. Al Pashote was confined to her bed for several days with influenza.

Many Newark people will attend the "Vodvill" at the Washington Union High School tonight and tomorrow.

Mr. Trinidad gave his wife a surprise birthday party last Saturday at their home here. Everyone present had an enjoyable evening which was spent in dancing. Many Newark people attended.

Roy Secada and Evelyn Freitas arrived home from their honeymoon trip last Saturday. Their reception was held at Niles.

James Nevis and Jeanette Silva attended the President's birthday ball at the Hotel Oakland on last Saturday. James had the honor of speaking to Bobby Breen.

Chief J. E. Pashote and Mrs. J. E. Pashote, assistant chief Lourie Costa and Mrs. Lourie Costa and Mr. and Mrs. Al Pashote attended a party last Monday at the Fairmont Hospital. It was given by the Fairmont Fire Dept.

Arthur Martin returned home last week after spending three weeks in San Francisco with relatives.

Robert Sweeny, a former Newark boy, spent last Saturday with his mother and friends in Newark. He has been transferred from Caliente to Salinas.

Arthur Ruskofsky and Stella Mendonza attended the President's Ball at Hotel Oakland last Saturday night.

Bob Ruskofsky, Karl Norvik, Mrs. Norvik and Mr. and Mrs. Thor Norvik, motored to Livermore last Sunday to see the snow on the Livermore hills.

Mr. Bernard has moved from the Joe Limas house on Thornton avenue to one of the duplex homes on Magnolia street.

Mrs. Dean M. Houseman of Bozeman, Montana, was the guest of Mrs. Sam Scott over the week-end.

Oscar Niemth Jr., has returned to duty at the Beck Dredging Company, after being out at work in his own boat for several months.

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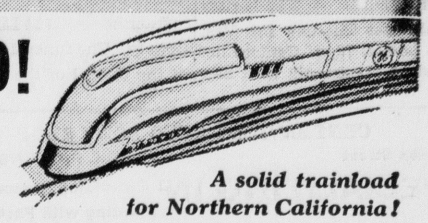
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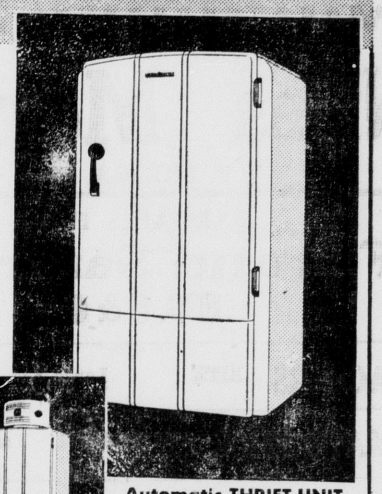
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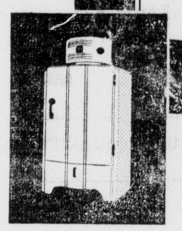
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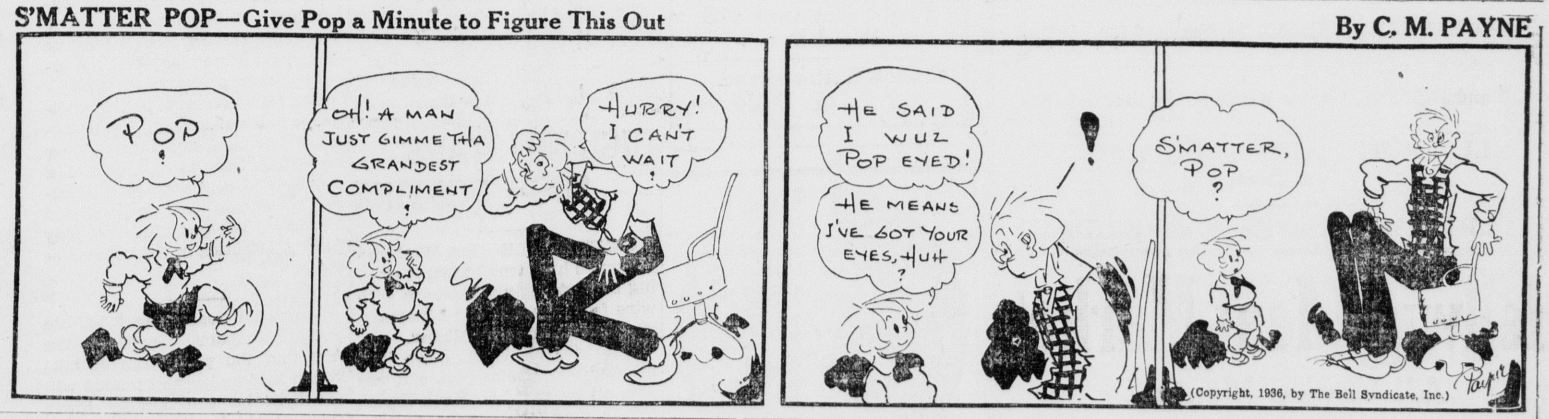
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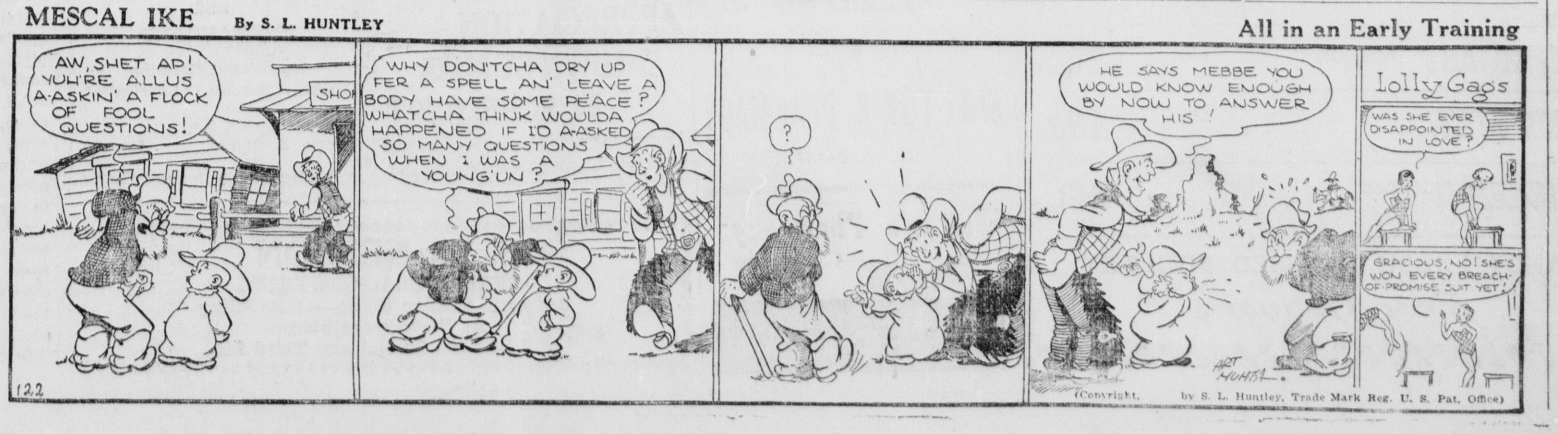
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THE FEATHERHEADS — By Osborne © Western Newspaper Union — Shop Talk



MESCAL IKE — By S. L. HUNTLEY — All in an Early Training



CENTERVILLE RESIDENT DIES AT SAN JOSE

CENTERVILLE — Final rites were held last Tuesday for Mrs. Egeltine Loretz, 76, of Centerville, who died of pneumonia at a San Jose hospital. Mrs. Loretz, who has been a resident of Centerville for the past four years, was a native of France. She leaves a daughter, Mary Schuler of Centerville, to mourn her.

Interment was at Lincoln, Placer County. The funeral was in charge of the Chapel of the Palms.

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BACON		½ LB PKG.	22c
RAVIOLIS	CHEESE & MUSHROOM SAUCE	Box	30c
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CHICKEN	FRICASEE		25c

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TOWNSHIP'S FARM NEWS

In Our Township Garden

By Paul Dougherty

THE SLOW GROWING OAK

During the past year we have had the opportunity to sit in on a series of tomato grower's meetings which occurred at about 10 days intervals over a period of several months. We had no tomatoes to either sell or buy, so being a little removed from the heat of the battle, had opportunity to see a co-operative take form from nothing and commence a successful life. It is astonishing how long it takes a large group of people to agree upon a common line of action. They see and understand the necessity for action long before they become sufficiently convinced to actually commit themselves. We can understand the impatience of a dictator like Mussolini who puts aside all opposition and attempts to make people follow his will, whether they are convinced that it is the right thing or not. We feel, however, the slow substantial gains of democratic methods in which the course of action is arrived at by the consent of those taking that action, has a sureness and permanence which will prevail.

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EIGHT HANDS

Youth led our lagging steps to hear eight hands on the piano interpret the music of the masters the other evening at the High School. Greatly to our surprise the evening was all too short. Each number was introduced and described by Henri Salz in his own witty and genial manner. Being slightly tone deaf (or is it tone dumb?), we had rather anticipated that we would not get the drift of it all. However, we were delighted to find that these composers could tell us their story still fresh as when they dreamed it long ago. We congratulate this group of Township neighbors who have gathered every week for these many months to enjoy their art together and to produce freely for the people of the Township this fine program. We gather that they have had a mighty good time doing it, too.

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DIVERSITY

At the last Farm Center meeting the program committee told of the difficulty in Washington Township of finding any one subject which would appeal to every farmer in the community. Mrs. Joe Williams called the attention of the group to an editorial published in a State wide farm paper in which the editor listed more than 30 crops and livestock products produced in carload lots which he observed in a tour of this community. Mrs. Williams pointed out that no matter how good a program built around any one of these crops might be presented, there certainly would be a lot of farmers to whom it would have no appeal.

However, this diversification makes our Township farming safer and more prosperous than where one or two crops predominate. It is interesting to think that should the necessity arise we could shut the gates about our Township and live quite comfortably inside. Of course our diet might not be so well balanced, and personally we'd hate to eat our quota of cauliflower under these circumstances. We would have to eat spuds instead of bread and have lots of apricot pie without very much crust.

Through the years this substantial diversified farming has built a community which has far more of its own money lent out beyond its borders than it has borrowed from the outside.

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HOOP GAME DATES READY

CENTERVILLE—Following is the 1937 basketball schedule for the Washington union high school team:

Feb. 5, Pleasanton—there
Feb. 9, Aguns Club—here
Feb. 12, Albany—here
Feb. 16, Emeryville—here
Feb. 19, Foothills—there
Feb. 22, Aguns Club—here
Feb. 26, Livermore—there

HIGH NET STARS SHOWINGS FINE

CENTERVILLE—The Washington union high tennis team is coming back strongly this season with wins from Amador and Livermore and a close loss from Albany.

Don Ahrens holds down the number one singles post and has won all his matches. Hank Emerson is close behind him while a freshman, John Ziegler, is third singles man. Tom and Keith Whipple play first doubles and Bob Coit and Bob Kibby are the second doubles men.

ART CLASSES WORK ON MAP

CENTERVILLE—Second year art students at the high school are busy with a pictorial map under the direction of Miss Sybil Botelho. With the new semester students are to be divided into two groups: those who want to continue art work and those who want to specialize in crafts.

APPRECIATION SHOWN BY MISS M. SCHELBERT

MISS MARGARET SCHELBERT wishes to thank all her friends and everyone who in any way construbuted to her success in the recent Register contest.

Miss Schelbert, as the readers will remember, came in third in this campaign and won the new Wedgewood range.

PEAR MEN'S MEETINGS DATED

BERKELEY—Growers of California fall and winter pears are making plans to participate in meetings being held early this month under joint auspices of the control committee of the Federal deciduous tree fruit marketing agreement, the California Extension Service, and the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

The marketing of fall and winter pears and its specific relation to the operations of the Federal marketing agreement in the light of the 1937 outlook and experience gained during 1936 are among subjects to be given consideration.

Meetings have been scheduled at Hollister on February 8; Watsonville, February 9; San Jose, February 10. At these meetings growers will also nominate and vote on representatives to the Winter Pear Commodity Committee for the district comprising Santa Clara, Alameda, Monterey, San Benito and Santa Cruz Counties. Present members of this committee are W. H. McCormick, Willis Dutton and Howard Anderson of San Jose; Walter Brown, Santa Clara; B. H. Schulte, Carmel; Lee Veerkamp, Placerville; Joseph B. Francis, Auburn.

The Farmer's Corner...

BY RALPH H. TAYLOR
(Executive Secretary, Agricultural Council of California)

An issue-less session, insofar as dominant problems are concerned, the 1937 State Legislature would probably never have been missed if it had never been convened—at least from the standpoint of the general public!

Yet, paradoxically enough, 4017 bills proposed constitutional amendments and resolutions were introduced during the short January meeting some 400 more than the entire 1935 session, which wrestled with many major problems of outstanding public concern.

And by the end of the 1937 session, some months hence, the legislators will have setablished a new all-time high in legislature proposals, surpassing even the record-breaking session of 1913!

The moral seems to be that California's lawmakers and the voting public that elects them, given no serious issue to cope with, feel impelled to deal with all the lesser questions, pet projects and legislative hobbies which get only passing attention in the busier sessions.

Somewhat reassuring from the public standpoint, however, is the fact that the percentage of bills which become law this session will probably be considerably lower than usual, due to the emphatic stand taken by Lieutenant Governor George J. Hatfield, presiding officer of the Senate, against "skeleton bills". Hatfield has served notice that the practice of introducing "skeleton bills" with merely a perfunctory title—and then filling-in the substance of the measures during the second half of the session, too late for public review or scrutiny—will not be tolerated. It is estimated that some 500 or 700 "skeletons" will be stricken from the file when they reach the Lieutenant Governor's desk.

To the farmers and people of rural California, Hatfield's ruling is of vital importance, as it reduces the danger of hasty, ill-advised and "loaded" legislation, often slipped through in past sessions without public knowledge. The Hatfield decision gives force to the bifurcated, or split-session, leaving the 30-day recess between the two halves of the session for study of bills, and restricting the second half largely to the consideration of legislation, rather than its introduction.

No major tax program confronts the 1937 legislature and both Republicans and Democrats seem fairly well determined to carry on with the present tax structure without the imposition of new taxes, inasmuch as the normal pick up in revenues is expected to cancel the state deficit and take care of all current governmental needs.

Numerous tax bills are pending for consideration when the legislators reconvene on March 1, however, including the following: Act to repeal sales tax; act to reduce sales tax; measure increasing bank and corporation franchise tax from 8 to 10 per cent; severance taxes on natural resources, including oil, gas and timber; doubling of the state income tax; Diesel oil tax; reduction in gas tax; gross transactions tax, etc.

It is safe to predict that the majority of the tax proposals, although they may find scattering support, will end up in the legislative grave yard. It is also a safe forecast that the Governor's half billion dollar budget will be apporved with few changes, although Democrats in the Assembly have announced they intend to boost the appropriations for education, pensions and building programs at state institutions.

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LEGAL NOTICES

ORDINANCE NO. 315

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING THE INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE OF GAS APPLIANCES, VENTS AND FLUES, AND GAS HOUSE PIPINGS IN HOTELS, ROOMING HOUSES AND AUTO CAMPS WITHIN THE UNINCORPORATED TERRITORY OF THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA, AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATIONS OF ANY OF THE PROVISIONS HEREIN.

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California, do ordain as follows

SECTION 1. The term "person" as used in this ordinance shall include every natural person, firm, co-partnership, association or corporation.

The term "gas appliance" as used in this ordinance shall include each and every type of fixture or apparatus manufactured and designed to use natural, manufactured or mixed gas as a fuel medium for developing light, heat, or power and shall include ranges, plates, gas space heaters, water heaters, steam and hot water boilers, ovens, furnaces, together with any attachment or apparatus designed to be attached to any gas appliance, such as solid tops, pilot lights, governors, regulators and safety devices.

The term "vent" as used in this ordinance shall include each and every pipe designed to convey the products of combustion from a gas appliance to a flue.

The term "flue" as used in this ordinance shall include each and every type of conduit or pipe designed to convey the products of combustion delivered to it by a "vent" to outside atmosphere.

The term "house gas piping" as used in this ordinance shall include any run of gas piping or fittings installed on any premises or in any building on the outlet side of the gas meter and includes the connection of the gas fixtures, gas appliances and gas meter.

SEC. 2. It shall be unlawful for any person engaged in the business of conducting or operating a hotel, rooming house or auto camp within the limits of the County of Alameda and outside the corporate limits of any incorporated city or town in said county, to install, maintain or have any gas appliance, vent, flue, house gas piping or any of their respective connections and appliances, in such hotel, rooming house or auto camp, unless such gas appliance, vent, flue, house gas piping or any of their respective connections and appliances is in good condition as to gas tightness, and is in such condition that no products of combustion or gas may enter any room or rooms thereof and is so constructed and maintained that their use will not endanger life, health or property.

SEC. 3 A copy of this ordinance shall be posted in a conspicuous place in each such hotel, rooming house and auto camp, at all times.

SEC. 4 If any section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance. The Board of Supervisors hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance, and each section, subsection, paragraph, sentence, clause and phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, paragraphs, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

SEC. 5 Any peron violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall upon conviction be punished by a fine not exceeding Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00), or by imprisonment not exceeding six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment. Every separate act or transaction in violation of this ordinance shall be deemed a separate offense.

SEC. 6 This ordinance shall take effect and be in force thirty (30) days after its passage, and before the erpiration of fifteen (15) days after its passage shall be published with the names of the members voting for and against the same for one week in San Leandro Reporter, Hayward Review, Pleasanton Times, Southern Alameda County News, Township Register, newspapers pubilshed in the County of Alameda.

ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda on the 12th day of January, 1937.

AYES —Supervisors Caldecott, Janssen, Wixson and Chairman Hamilton—4

NOES—Supervisors None

ABSENT — Supervisors Richmond —1

WM. J. HAMILTON
Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California.

ATTEST
G. E. WADE
County Clerk and ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Legal Notices

NO. 8149

CERTIFICATE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP

WE, the undersigned do hereby certify that we are co-partners, doing business in Niles, County of Alameda, State of California, under the firm name and style of P. S. A. ACADEMY OF MUSIC, and that the places of our respective residences are hereinafter set forth following our signatures, to wit:

Roy Secada, R. F. D. Box 70, Niles, California

Peter Pinto, Alvarado, California

Manuel Pinto Jr., 320 Jackson street, Hayward, California

COUNTY OF ALAMEDA } SS
STATE OF CALIFORNIA }

In this 30th day of December, 1936, in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred Thirty-six, before me ALLEN G. NORRIS, a Notary Public in and for the County of Alameda, State of California, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared ROY SECADA, PETER PINTO and MANUEL PINTO, Jr., known to me to be the persons described in and whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Official Seal, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(Seal) Allen G. Norris

Notary Puolic in and for the County of Alameda, State of California.